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1. New Soviet troops have been arriving at Dresden from Poland since early October 1953. They are quartered in Dr. Kurt Fischerallee and Königsbrückerstrasse, and in part of Piechenerallee. Altogether, there are about 1,600 vehicles and 300 tanks now in Dresden and its suburbs.

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4. Construction of a large fuel depot at Dresden is planned by order of the Soviet Army. A location in Dresden-Freital is proposed, but this is not actually fixed.

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